

DANCING DEATH.

No Protection from the Deadly Wires for Another Week at Least.

The Harris Autopsy Reveals the Full Mode of Electrical Killing.

Thrilling Experience of an Expert While Testing the Fatal Brush Wire.

There is no mystery about the horrible death of salesman Harry Harris.

In the words of Coroner Schnitz, "all the coroner's jury will be called upon to do is to listen to the conclusive evidence and then fix the responsibility where that evidence places it. It was a brush wire, on a brush wire, that poor Harris got a connection with."

Deputy Coroner Jenkins, assisted by Coroner's Physicians Weston and Donlin, performed an autopsy on the body of Harris, with Drs. Killian, Ashen, Campbell and three younger physicians as interested spectators.

The result of the autopsy is conclusive. Dr. Jenkins has performed the autopsy in every case of electrical killing occurring in this city, and the knowledge gained of this singular cause of death should be invaluable in the trial for manslaughter.

One of the chief points of defense will undoubtedly be that there is no deadly current in the brush wire, and this because, according to the experts, no physician is yet able to tell what vital force is destroyed and how.

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Harris' left hand was burned in the palm, showing where it came in contact with the metal frame of the showcase. The ground cord was by way of Harris' body, his left leg and foot and a nail in his shoe to the metal side of a pin head.

A circular hole, one-quarter of an inch across, was burned in the shoe and on the bottom of the foot. Both hands were covered with little blister points, from the size of a pin point to that of a pin head.

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LOST A \$5,000 RING.

He Loaned It to an Actress, but Says She Gave It Back.

Denied that It Was Stolen at the Gedney House.

Mysterious Mr. Russell and His More Mysterious Losses.

The following advertisement appeared in a morning paper:

\$125 WILL BE PAID for the return of the pin lost or stolen from the Gedney House, Broadway, 100 West 90th st., city.

\$500 REWARD—The above reward will be paid for the return of a large single diamond ring, lost or stolen at the Gedney House, Broadway, 100 West 90th st., city.

Mr. Brugh, one of the proprietors of the Gedney House, was seen this morning by an Evening World reporter, and said:

"You may quote me as denying that the stones were either lost or stolen in this hotel. The alleged loss of the ring was reported three weeks ago, and I questioned the guest very closely. I soon became convinced that he was not positive where he lost his valuables, and from other information I came to the conclusion that it was not at all unlikely that he may have carried it with him outside the house."

"Who is the loser?" inquired the reporter. "The gentleman who reported the matter to me. As he had no receipt for the ring, and as he was an English dramatic company, he went out of the hotel, returning at a late hour. He was seen by the next morning he reported the loss of his diamond ring."

His story was that a lady, who had been wearing it, had left it to him while he had been eating supper the night before and about a half hour before they departed.

"He was sure it was in his apartment, whether by accident or not, he couldn't say."

I insisted upon having the matter reported to Detective Hayes. He investigated the affair and had nothing to say, anything about the matter until this advertisement was shown me this morning."

"What was the ruby ring, spoken of in the other advertisement, lost?"

"That matter was reported a week before, and at that time the owner was unable to give a good description of it."

"The ring for which \$500 reward is offered is valued at \$1,000. Mr. Russell, I am told, was only holding it as security for a loan."

"He left here a day or two later and went to Brooklyn. When he returned he said he had taken up his residence at the Victoria Hotel."

At the Victoria it was said that Mr. Russell had left a note for the manager, saying he was sorry he had neglected to leave word in the office."

The advertiser, says he is not the owner of the ring, but is only acting for a friend. He thinks that his friend left his jewels and other valuables in his room for a few moments the ring disappeared."

After a reprieve.

"Handsome Harry" Carlton's Lawyer Calls on Gov. Hill.

Consonant, but apparently not fearful, of the shameful death so recently nearing him, Harry Carlton, who is in custody in the Tombs this morning, quietly reading a newspaper.

Big, good-hearted Deputy Sheriff Delmore paced thoughtfully in front of the cage, smoking a cigar.

Deputy Sheriff Carragher sat beside the condemned man, thoughtfully looking at the door.

It was very quiet and peaceful, and only the busy hum of the streets outside broke the silence when an EVENING WORLD reporter was ushered into the cage.

Father Gelinas and the Sisters of Mercy are with him almost constantly, and when they are not there he reads the newspapers or the Bible.

"Have you made up your mind to die?" asked the reporter.

Carlton threw his paper aside, tilted his chair back and thought for a moment before he answered:

"Yes. I am prepared to face my Maker at any moment now."

"I have made my peace, I hope, with heaven, but I don't think that I was doing very well."

"Lawyer Steinhardt went to Albany yesterday and argued for a commutation of sentence."

Carlton said that he was not sure of the facts in regard to the alleged libel. Consequently, he moved for this in court this morning.

Judge Phillips, his counsel, argued for the motion and Lawyer John Brooks Leavitt opposed it very vigorously, claiming that Dr. Ryalnce had given all the details that could be expected of him under the circumstances, and that the requirements of the order had been fully complied with.

Judge Truxton took the papers and said he would give his decision in a day or two.

Carlton said that he was very much stirred up over the proceedings. He declined to say anything about the case, declaring that the reporters had had too much to say about his affairs already.

After returning to his office Mr. Quackenbush had an animated conversation with the county ex-judge Fulton, under the shade of one of the alantus trees in the City Hall Park.

Gored by a Barnum Elephant.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—A keeper in Barnum's menagerie was fatally gored to-day by an enraged elephant.

CAUSED BY THE FIRE.

Several million dollars' worth of goods were destroyed by the great Boston fire, and everything sold at a great price.

AWAY TO HAYTI.

Admiral Gherardi and His Warships Sail from Brooklyn.

He Is Said to Carry State Messages for Minister Douglass.

Together With Instructions for a Coaling Station at Port au Prince.

Everything was bustle and stir at the Navy Yard this morning over the departure of the war steamers Galena, Kearsarge and Dolphin for Hayti, under the command of Rear-Admiral Gherardi, of the North Atlantic Squadron.

The Galena wore the Rear-Admiral's colors as the flagship, but the Kearsarge was the first to sail, leaving the dock at 10 o'clock.

The Galena did not cast off from her moorings until 9.45. It was understood that the Dolphin was under orders to sail at a later hour.

Rear-Admiral Gherardi passed last night at his home in Brooklyn, but was at the Navy Yard very early this morning, and went at once on board the Galena.

He was too busy to see any visitors, and no one outside of the officers and crew and the Navy-Yard officers was permitted to go on board.

None of the Yard officers would have anything to say about the significance of the Rear-Admiral's cruise to Hayti, which is being undertaken in the name of the United States.

A big bundle of private documents, addressed to Admiral Gherardi, was sent to the Galena. It was said that the Navy-Yard that they were from the State Department, and had a special reference to the establishment of a coaling station at Port-au-Prince, while containing instructions and orders from the State Department.

The Galena is expected to reach Port-au-Prince in about two weeks.

Commander G. W. Sumner has command of the Galena. Commander Horatio Nelson of the Kearsarge, and Commander Charles O'Neil of the Dolphin.

FLYING IN A HAN.

Wealthy Mr. Engels Again Leaves His Wife for His Home at Rockville.

Frederick W. Engels, the wealthy and eccentric paralytic, who created something of a sensation last February by having himself spirited away from his wife, is safely ensconced to-day in his country home in Rockville Centre.

Mr. Engels' adventures have been many and varied. He blames all his troubles on his wife, a German blonde, who possesses a magnificent figure and very handsome features.

He met her in the Rosemont Hotel last February, when he came from Rockville Centre for medical treatment.

In eight days they were married. Her maiden name was Frances Margaret Henshall. They took apartments in the Sherman Hotel, 150 West Forty-eighth street.

She, immediately after the marriage, became solicitous as to her husband's health, and a physician who was called by her prescribed a course of treatment.

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MULTIPLYING RESULTS.

Contrasting by Additional Proof Daily the Testimony of the Series.

"I did not know exactly what the trouble was at first," said Mr. Spadi, in response to a question. "I had been subject to severe colds for some time. My head would be stopped up. My throat would feel sore and raw. Sometimes, especially in the morning, there would be a dry, parched feeling in my throat and mouth. I would catch cold on the slightest exposure."

"At last I got into a condition in which it seemed as if I was having trouble with my head, throat and chest all the time. There would be pains, sharp and stabbing like a knife, in my breast, side and shoulders. I would have a dull, heavy pain in my forehead over the eyes."

"Frequently I would have spells of dizziness, and sometimes, when I would get up suddenly, everything would seem to swim before my eyes. At times I would have a cold, chilly sensation all over me. The condition in my head and throat became almost unbearable. I could feel the mucus dripping back from my head. In the morning I would have to hawk and raise and cough until I was nearly exhausted."

"My appetite became poor and I would feel sick after eating. At times I would feel as if I was hungry, but when I would sit down to the table I would have no taste or relish for food. Something would seem to be at the back of my throat, and I would not get up or down, though I would cough and raise, trying to dislodge it. The cough grew steadily worse and I lost in flesh."

"When I went to Dr. Copeland & Blair I realized that my case was a serious one. I placed myself under their care. Their charges were moderate, and, though they promised no miracle, I felt sure they could help me. The improvement was steady and gradual, but I could see all the time I was steadily gaining. My head and throat became clear. The pains in the chest disappeared. My system, which had become dim and uncertain, was entirely restored. I can eat heartily now and feel strong and well."

Mr. August Spadi, the gentleman who made this statement, is a resident of 33 West 42nd street, Brooklyn, N. Y., where the interview can easily be verified. His features are fairly well reproduced in the portrait accompanying this sketch.

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LOVED AND ELOPED.

Henry Watterson's Young Son Mixes

Medicine and Romance.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 3.—The announcement of the elopement and marriage of Ewing Watterson, son of Henry Watterson, of the Courier-Journal, has made quite a sensation in social circles here.

The young man had left home to pursue the study of medicine at McMinnville, a little town among the mountains in Tennessee, but it appears that he found his studies in physics very agreeably diversified by experiments in love-making, and in these, whatever his progress in medicine, he was eminently successful.

Dr. Thomas Black, the tutor of the embryo medicine, possessed besides his medical lore, a pretty daughter whose years were but sixteen, whose eyes were described by her name as being very susceptible to the advances of the young student.

Jennie and Ewing were much together and passed rapidly from the state of pleasant companionship to that of mutual affection.

But they knew that an appeal to the parents meant only the securing of an injunction to the young man to desist from his love-making, and they were afraid it was also mean a temporary separation; so they took matters in their own young hands and eloped.

They went by carriage to Louisville, secured a license and a minister, and were married at the residence of the bride's uncle.

They were married on Saturday night and on the evening of Sunday the happy young couple took up their journey to this city, to receive the blessing and welcome of the paternal Wattersons.

CAN'T GRIND THE ORGANS YET.

The Mayor Has Not Yet Signed the Ordinance Relating to Street Music.

Letters continue to pour in to the Mayor in relation to his signing the new ordinance regulating the playing of itinerant musicians, which removes the ban of proscription from the organ-grinders.

More than 90 per cent. of these urge that he sign the ordinance, while most of them even suggest that he recommend a further amendment to the ordinance removing even the prohibition against the little German bands.

Mayor Grant did not make return of his action upon ordinance at to-day's meeting of the Board of Aldermen, and may not act on this week.

FRIGHTENED BY FIRE.

Occupants of a Six-Story Tenement Have a Slight Panic.

At an early hour this morning the occupants of the six-story tenement-house, No. 616 Water street, were awakened by the cry of fire and found the building full of smoke.

A panic at once began, and the tenants hastily ran to the street with little clothing on, some carrying their most valuable possessions with them.

The fire was in the blacksmith shop in the basement and was soon extinguished, after which the frightened tenants went back to their rooms.

The shop, which is owned by James Brady, was damaged \$100.

Is Stricken to Be a Boston Landlord, Too?

Boston, Dec. 3.—The Quincy House was paid into new hands Feb. 1. The consensus of opinion points to New York parties as the probable purchasers, this view being strengthened by the fact that the Hub, on Sunday last, of Ned Stokes, of the Hoffman House.

Bloomingdale's

Great Sale of Art Goods, 50% Discount

We are offering a very fine assortment of Art Goods, comprising Real Bronze Figures, Cut Cameos, Doulton, Dresden, Meissen, Royal Worcester and Royal Vienna Wares; French Bisque Figures, Fancy Brass Goods, Vernis Martin Tables, Marble Statuary, French Marble Clocks, Rich Oil-Paintings, &c., &c., at a

Uniform Discount of 50%

from regular prices. There has been no remarking of goods or changing of prices. Every article in this lot is marked at our regular selling price, which was originally fixed on a close commercial basis.

And from that price we deduct during this sale a uniform cash discount of 50 per cent.

Bloomingdale Bros.,

THIRD AVE., CORNER 59TH ST.

Materials for Evening Wear.

We are showing recent Importations of very choice

Tissues, Gauzes and Moussilaines

in Metal, Broche, figured and plain effects, also French Crepes

Crape de Chine and Crepons in all the new evening tints.

Special Offering.

Checked and Striped Gauzes, at 75 cts., reduced from \$1.25.

Lord & Taylor.

They Hardly Believe the Stern Trunks Were Worth \$150,000.

OUR CREDIT PLAN.

SHOULD THE ABOVE GOODS BE WANTED ON CREDIT, WE WILL DELIVER THE SAME BY MAKING AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF 6 PER CENT. THIS EXTRA CHARGE IS IN FULL OF THE NECESSARY FROM THE FACT THAT THE ABOVE ARE OUR LOWEST NET CASH PRICES. THE ACCOUNT CAN BE MADE PAYABLE WEEKLY OR MONTHLY IN SUMS TO SUIT.

REMEMBER THAT OURS IS THE ONLY HOUSE IN THE CITY THAT OFFERS CREDIT ON THE MOST LEGITIMATE AND REASONABLE TERMS.

WE SOLICIT AN INSPECTION OF OUR STOCK, FEELING SATISFIED THAT YOU WILL FIND OUR PRICES TO BE FROM 15 TO 30 PER CENT. LOWER THAN ELSEWHERE.